

which, by hydrolysis is converted to the desired 4-amino-5-hexenoic acid, and optionally converting said acid to a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

REMARKS

We received a Notice of Allowance on the above-referenced case when it was noticed that there was a typographical error and that the term "its imidate" was incorrect since the following compound is an amidate. Since the term is superfluous, we have omitted it.

Applicant submits that the application is in a condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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